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## MEDICINAL.



When the young mother is allowed to get up for her first meal, even though she takes it alone, it seems good to her to take this one step nearer the family circle, and she counts the days until her strength will be fully restored. But very often strength does not come as expected, and she lingers in languor and weakness. At such a time there is need of an invigorating tonic, and the very best tonic which a nursing mother can use is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It contains no alcohol nor narcotics. It gives real strength.

"Favorite Prescription" is a reliable woman's medicine. It establishes regularity, dries weakening drains, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness. "I cannot praise Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription too highly as a tonic for tired, worn-out women especially those who are afflicted with female weakness," writes Mrs. J. W. Holmes, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa. "It has helped me very much and a skillful physician said to me in answer to my question as to its efficacy, 'I know of cases where it has really worked wonders.'"

The Common Sense Medical Adviser, 1008 large pages in paper covers, is sent free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to pay expense of mailing only. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

## On the Market

### THE "3 DAYS" CURE

(For Men.) The only remedy named in all cases from the mildest strain to the most inflamed condition. Your money refunded if it fails. Price, \$1. Call and see it and read the guarantee. EDWARD L. ALLEN, 1009 1/2 E. W. FARMER, JR.

## CATARRH Nasal

In all its stages there should be cleanliness. ELY'S CREAM BALM cleanses, soothes and heals the diseased membrane. It cures catarrh and drives away a cold in the head. CREAM BALM is placed into the nostrils and spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying—does not produce sneezing. Large size, 50¢ at druggists or by mail. Trial size, 10 cents by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 66 Warren Street, New York.

## FOR OVER SIXTY YEARS.

AN OLD AND WELL-TRIED REMEDY.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over sixty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for Diarrhea. Is pleasant to the taste. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Its value is incalculable. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup and take no other kind.

## WATCHES AND JEWELRY.

### Holiday Gifts

Watches, Jewelry, Silverware, &c.

- Baby Rings, 50¢ to \$1.00.
- Misses Bangle with diamonds and diamonds, 1.00 to \$5.00.
- Ladies' Rings, 1.50 to \$12.00.
- Boys' Rings, 1.00 to \$2.50.
- Men's Rings, 3.00 to \$10.00.
- These rings are all solid gold.
- Ladies' Silver Watches, 5.50 to \$10.00.
- Gold Filled " 7.50 to \$15.00.
- Solid Gold " 18.00 to \$50.00.
- Boys' Nickel " 1.00 to \$6.50.
- Silver " 5.00 to \$11.00.
- Gents' Gold Filled " 3.00 to \$25.00.
- Solid Gold " 30.00 to \$70.00.
- Ladies' Watch and Neck Chain, 1.50 to \$18.00.
- Cuff Buttons, 25¢ to \$7.00.
- Sart Pins, 50¢ to \$8.00.

## Sterling Silver Goods.

- Manufacture pieces, 2, 3, 4, or 5 pieces in a case, 75¢ to \$5 a piece.
- Match Boxes, 1.00 to \$2.50.
- Barberbrushes, 25¢ to \$4.00.
- Combs, 50¢ to \$1.00.
- Mirrors, 4.00 to \$9.00.
- Hat and Cloth Brushes, 1.00 to \$5.00.
- Sugar Shovels, 1.25 to \$2.50.
- Butter Knives, 1.50 to \$2.50.
- Teaspoons, 3.00 to \$8.00.
- Tablespoons, 8.50 to \$14.00.
- Clocks, Waverest and other fancy articles, 50¢ to \$5.00.

## All Goods Warranted.

## HENRY W. WILDT,

106 N. Royal St.

## OYSTER DEALERS.

### Salt Water Oysters.

Captain JAMES ELLIOTT has opened an OYSTER HOUSE at the northeast corner of Fairfax and Cameron streets (Samuel Tenenbaum's old stand), where first class SALT WATER OYSTERS can be obtained at all times at the same rates charged for inferior quality. Country orders promptly filled. dec 27

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## DRAWING ROOMS ABOLISHED.

The London Gazette announces that the King and Queen during the coming season will hold a series of courts at Buckingham Palace, instead of drawing rooms. The presentation of ladies will be made at these courts, but attendance and presentation will be by invitation only, the number of presences at each court being necessarily limited. The Lord Chamberlain informs ladies that they will only receive occasional invitations. The courts will be held in the evening. Gentlemen may, under exceptional circumstances, accompany ladies to their family. The dress regulations of the courts will be identical with those hitherto governing drawing rooms.

The King will hold levees at St. James Palace for the reception and presentation of gentlemen. It had been understood for some time that the King intended to alter Victoria's custom of holding afternoon drawing rooms. The new arrangement will be practically a revival of the custom prevailing in the reign of William IV, but King Edward's rules contain an innovation of importance to society people, namely, that while privileged persons wishing to present debutantes will send written applications to the lord chamberlain as heretofore, others will only attend when commanded. Those already presented and others whose rank entitles them to attend are so numerous that, in view of the new restrictions, it is estimated that since courts will be necessary to include all.

The King's object is to avoid the inconvenient and undignified crushes of the last reign. It is understood that he intends to hold at least three courts monthly during the season.

CICERO BURIED IN EFFIGY.—Covered with a funeral pall and surrounded with flickering torches, the effigy of Cicero was carried through the Latin Quarter in Paris on Monday night, and then buried in the garden beside the Cluny Monastery. The ceremony was a recognition of the fact that the faculty of the University of Paris, comprising the Sorbonne, the College de France and other learned institutions, cataloging the spirit of the times, announced Monday that Latin would no longer be required as a subject for the doctor's degree.

Scores of students earning their way through college have been struck a hard blow by the edict. These workers have been enabled to earn small incomes by writing Latin themes for their fellow-students. While acknowledged that the innovation is the greatest introduced in many years, those members of the faculty who favor it declare that it was bound to come, since the Latin thesis had lost all meaning.

NEW MICROBE IN CANCERS.—Dr. Doyen, a leading surgeon, of Paris has announced in a lecture that he observed in cancerous tumors a new microbe which he calls micrococcus reiformis. Dr. Doyen as long ago as 1887 noticed in cancerous juices certain diplococci and small chains that were with difficulty distinguished from cellular granulation. When examined at the end of two or three months he found these as active as when in the tumor.

Experimenting with the new microbe Dr. Doyen found that he was able to reproduce cancer. Later by subcutaneous injection of a sterilized solution of toxins derived from the new microbes he succeeded in producing in cancerous patients a reaction resembling the effects produced in tuberculous subjects by Prof. Koch's tuberculin, that is, tending to prevent a return of the cancerous growth.

Dr. Doyen does not assert that his experiments are conclusive, but says that the results of trials carried on for six months has been most satisfactory. He proposes to continue his experiments.

## CIGARS.

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## Pneumonia Prevented.

Among the tens of thousands who have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for colds and influenza during the past few years, to our knowledge, not a single case has resulted in pneumonia. Thos. Whitfield & Co., 240 Wabash Avenue, Chicago, one of the most prominent retail druggists in that city, in speaking of this, says: "We recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for the grippes in many cases, as it not only gives prompt and complete recovery, but also counteracts any tendency of the grippes to result in pneumonia." For sale by Richard Gibson, druggist.

## Saved His Life.

"I wish to say that I feel I owe my life to Kodol Dyspepsia Cure," writes H. C. Christensen of Hayfield, Minn. "For three years I was troubled with dyspepsia so that I could hold nothing on my stomach. Many times I would be unable to retain a morsel of food. Finally I was confined to my bed. Doctor said I could not live. I read one of your advertisements on Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and thought it fit my case and commenced its use. I began to improve from the first bottle. I am cured and recommend it to all." Digest your food. Cures all stomach troubles. For sale by E. S. Leachester & Sons.

## AGRICULTURAL.

JNO. P. ROBINSON. GEO. S. FRENCH

President. Secretary.

## Alexandria Fertilizer

and Chemical

Company,

MANUFACTURERS OF

Fertilizers, Fertilizer Materials and

Blue Windsor Ground Plaster,

PRINCER STREET, BETWEEN UNION

AND LEE,

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

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Company,

MANUFACTURERS OF

FERTILIZERS, FERTILIZING MATERIALS,

PURE RAW BONE AND

FINE GROUND NOVA SCOTIA

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Office—117 King street.

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Practical Machinists and Engineers

And Builders of

MARINE AND STATIONARY ENGINES

Blacksmithing and Steam Fitting, Re-

frigerators and Machine Supplies, and all sorts

of mill work and that connected with brick-

work promptly executed. Repairing promptly

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Will furnish and repair all kinds of Machine-

ry, Iron and Brass Castings, Wrought and

Cast Iron Pipes, Mill Work, Ship and Black-

smithing, Edge Tools, Mill Picks, Facing Ham-

mers, and all kinds of Mill Work made and re-

paired at the shortest notice and at reasonable

prices. The highest market price paid for old

Wrought and Cast Iron, Brass and Copper.

## A Regular

### Bargain Week.

The balance of the year we shall

devote to cleaning up and getting

rid of all odds and ends at sacrifice

prices.

A Beautiful Parlor Lamp \$2.75

Pictures from 10 cents to \$7.50.

## M. Ruben & Sons,

601 King Street.

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Kodaks for Christmas.

## "Light Up, Mister!"

but perhaps its a poor cigar and you're afraid to smoke it. If you smoke Captain Billy Cigars you can always know they're good. When you smoke Captain Billy you smoke the kind that men who know cigars buy. If you smoke Our Captain Billy—a 10 cent cigar for 5 cents—you'll agree its the best 5 cent cigar you ever tried.

Manufactured only by

B. B. SMITH

Wait for the Next.

## DRY GOODS.

### Handkerchiefs.

Ladies' Embroidered, 5c to 25c.

" Hemstitched, 3c.

" PURE LINEN Hemstitched, 5c.

" Pure Linen Hemstitched, 10c.

" Pure Linen, latest style, 1/4, 1/2, 3/4 in. Hemstitched, 12 1/2c.

Ladies' Pure Linen 1/4, 1/2, 3/4 in. Hemstitched, 3c; 3 for \$1.00.

Gentlemen's Plain and Hemstitched, 5c.

" Hemstitched, 10c.

" PURE LINEN Narrow Hemstitched, 12 1/2c.

Gentlemen's Pure Linen Narrow Hemstitched, 18c; 3 for 50c.

Gentlemen's " Pure Linen Narrow Hemstitched, 25c.

Blk Handkerchiefs, 25c and 50c.

## Towels.

Towels, 5c up to 50c.

Plain Hemmed and Fringed, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c (3 for 50c), 25c, 35c and 50c.

Hemstitched, 12c, 25c and 50c.

## Napkins.

Bookfold and Fringed

The largest and handsomest assortment we have ever had of Table Napkins, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00 per dozen.

## Bed Spreads.

At 69c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50; extra values.

BLANKETS and COMFORTS, better values than we have ever had.

## Table Cloths.

Fringed and Plain.

Pure Linen, 75c each up.

Table Cloth and Napkin Sets, \$1.75 and \$2.00.

## Neckties.

A large and handsome assortment of THE LATEST STYLES at 25c and 50c.

Lot of 25c and 50c ties to close out at 15c each. Back numbers in styles, but good values.

## Hosiery.

A complete assortment for Ladies, gentlemen and children.

## Umbrellas.

A large and handsome assortment of the Best Goods that can be obtained at prices 75c, 95c, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50 to \$3.00, for Ladies and Gentlemen.

## Lace Curtains.

Lace Curtains, 75c up. Very Handsome 3 1/2 yards long, at \$1.98, \$2.49 and \$2.95 a pair.

Applique, Ac. Bureau and Table Scarfs, 25c, 29c, 39c, 50c to \$1.00.

Full line Dry Goods, Notions and Furnishings, not mentioned above. We would appreciate an examination of our stock.

## A. C. Slaymaker

429 KING STREET,

## CLOTHING, FURNISHINGS, &c.

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### Overcoats, Suits and

### Trousers for

### MEN AND BOYS.

Reliable Goods at Low Prices.

Suits and Overcoats to order at \$13.50, \$16, \$18 and \$20.

A well assorted line of Gents' Furnishings and Neckwear.

Also Trunks, Dress Suit Cases and Satchels at the lowest prices.

Call and examine our stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere.

All goods marked in plain figures!

## ONE PRICE.

## R. Lee Field,

One-Price Clothier & Gents' Furnisher,

Leaders in Up-to-Date Footwear,

No. 304 King Street.

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RAILROAD COMPANY.

Alexandria, Va., Dec. 31, 1901.

To the holders of the Charlottesville and Rapidan Railroad Bonds: The following bonds, drawn for redemption by lot, in accordance with the terms of the mortgage will be paid at the office of the Philadelphia Trust, Safe Deposit and Insurance Company, Philadelphia, Pa., with accrued interest, on JANUARY 1, 1902. Interest on said bonds will cease January 1, 1902.

No. 17, 20, 76, 101, 183, 250, \$1,000 each.

No. 298, 304, 360, 397, 402, 410, 477, 483, 501, 507, 525, 528, 549, 567, 569, 577, 595, 639, 701, 703, \$500 each.

No. 757, 775, 806, \$100 each.

JOHN W. BURKE,

EDW. L. DAINGERFIELD,

Trustees.

## FREE NOTES.—

Choice Grenable Walnuts, and Tarragon Almonds, Filberts and Brazil Nuts just received by

J. C. MILBURN.

NO. 1 MACKEREL and PRIME SLOUCH HERKING received Sept. 10, by

J. C. MILBURN.

MOTT'S SWEET CIDER, for sale by

J. C. MILBURN.

## DRY GOODS.

### Now IS THE TIME

To Make Your Purchase

Don't ask any questions. Our low prices will prevail as long as we have goods to sell.

## D. Bendheim & Sons.

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Your Shopping During

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but plenty of competent and polite salespeople to dispense the hundreds of bargains suitable for

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A fine pair of the Hess Shoes for the boy. They are up-to-date.

A swell pair of Fine Shoes for the young lady.

A nice pair of Comfortable Slippers for papa.

A nice pair of Warm Slippers for mamma.

Those High Top Rubber Boots for the little fellow.

WE'VE GOT 'EM,

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## J. A. Marshall & Bro.,

Leaders in Up-to-Date Footwear,

422 King street,

## Talk It Over

### With Your Wife.